February 11, 2010

Mr. Norman R. Stoner
Division Administrator
Federal Highway Administration
3250 Executive Park Drive
Springfield, Illinois 62703

Attention: J. D. Stevenson

Dear Mr. Stoner:

Enclosed for your approval and use in accordance with paragraph 23 CFR 450.220 is a copy of an ARRA amendment to the <u>Amended FY 2009-2012 Statewide Transportation Improvement Program</u> (STIP) for Illinois. The department is authorizing this amendment to the STIP.

The project listed in this amendment is for a local program project that is not in a Metropolitan Planning Organization area. The funds for this project are available due to new ARRA funds. The local agency has placed this project out for public comment for a 15 day period and did not receive any public feedback fulfilling the public involvement requirements.

We consider the estimate of costs included in the STIP to be realistic. We concur with the fiscal consistency analysis included in the STIP. The total cost of the STIP remains consistent with the amount of funds expected to be available to this area during the STIP time period. The department, on behalf of the Governor of Illinois, concurs with the projects listed in this STIP.

Sincerely,

Charles J. Ingersoll, P.E.

Acting Director

Enclosure

Local ARRA STIP Amendment District 9

Route/Street	County	Location	Improvements	Est, Cost	STIP#
FAS 2934	HARDIN	SHAWNEE HOLLOW RD TO HICKS RD	SEAL COAT	\$125,000 ECONOMIC STIMULUS-L	\$125,000 109103810000 CONOMIC IMULUS-L
FAS 2934	HARDIN	SHAWNEE HOLLOW RD TO HICKS RD	CONSTRUCTION ENGINEERING	\$2,000 ECONOMIC STIMULUS-I.	109103810003

No STIP public comments received.